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Global articles for your interest Issue 6 April 19 - May 5, 2011

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1. Clinton: Bin Laden Dead, "Justice Has Been Done"

Al-Qaida leader Osama bin Laden is dead "and justice has been done," Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton says. But bin Laden's death is not the end of the international war on terrorism, and the United States will continue to fight violent extremism around the world, she says. ...

2. UNESCO, State Department Host World Press Freedom Day Events

Journalists from around the world have converged on Washington to survey the state of their profession in recognition of World Press Freedom Day, officially marked on May 3. ...

3. Getting Ready to Start an NGO

When you find yourself moved to take action, no matter the challenge or opportunity you choose to address, you will be able to do more with more resources and more people. That is why you might decide to start a nongovernmental organization (NGO). Here are some tips on how to get started.

4. Space Shuttle Mission Stalls; Launch Postponed

The Space Shuttle Endeavour won't be working this weekend after all. NASA stopped the countdown for the launch hours before it approached liftoff April 29, citing a technical problem with the shuttle. Identifying and repairing the problem will take 72 hours at least, if not more.

5. NASA Remembers First U.S. Manned Space Flight

America's national space agency is marking the 50th anniversary of the United States' entry into manned space flight May 5. Commemorative events, including a re-enactment of the flight, are being celebrated at the Kennedy Space Center in Florida. ...

6. Ensuring Civil Rights and Security

The Department of Homeland Security keeps America secure, and in doing so also protects the civil rights and civil liberties of its citizens and those under its authority.

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Remarks by the President on Osama Bin Laden

01 May 2011 - President Obama addressed the Nation to announce that the United States has killed Osama bin Laden, the leader of al Qaeda

ALSO: Video



Ambassador Awarded Prize for Leadership

Ambassador Reeker was honored by the Institute for Democracy and Development for his service to the people of Macedonia. The Ambassador's remarks focused on the role and responsibility of leadership.



Celebrating World Press Freedom Day

"The role of a strong and independent media is absolutely critical to the success of a healthy civil society, and it is the responsibility of every journalist to protect the rights of a free press."

ALSO: Story Video

Foreign Service Exam - Thursday, June 9, 2011

The Embassy will administer the Foreign Service Exam on June 9. Register at http://careers.state.gov/officer/selection-process

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